

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

A detailed listing of all claims that are, or were, in the present application, irrespective of whether the claim(s) remains under examination in the application is presented below. The claims are presented in ascending order and each includes one status identifier. Those claims not cancelled or withdrawn but amended by the current amendment utilize the following notations for amendment: 1) deleted matter is shown by strikethrough for six or more characters and double brackets for five or less characters; and 2) added matter is shown by underlining.

1-5. (Canceled)

6. (Previously Presented) A riser cart comprising:

a cart support frame having a plurality of wheels rotatably attached thereto;

a first swing arm post assembly mounted to the cart support frame, wherein the first swing arm post assembly includes a first swing arm post and a first plurality of swing arms having first and second ends, wherein the first swing arms are rotatable proximate the first ends between a storage position and a loading position and are engageable with each other at the second ends; and

a second swing arm post assembly mounted to the cart support frame, wherein the second swing arm post assembly includes a second swing arm post and a second plurality of swing arms having first and second ends, wherein the second swing arms are rotatable proximate the first ends between a storage

position and a loading position and are engageable with each other at the second ends. The riser cart of claim 1, wherein the first and second plurality of swing arms each include a pivot tube that through which the first and second swing arm posts, respectively, extend;

wherein the first and second plurality of swing arms each further include a horizontal support bar and a keeper attached to the horizontal support bar opposite the swing arm post, wherein the horizontal support is attached to the pivot tube, and wherein the keeper is attached to an end of the horizontal support bar that is opposite the pivot tube; and wherein the cart support frame includes a pair of holding sockets that are adapted to receive lower ends of the keepers when the first and second swing arms are in the storage position.

7-13. (Canceled)

14. (Previously Presented) A method of using a riser cart comprising:

providing a riser cart having a cart support frame, a first swing arm post assembly and a second swing arm post assembly, wherein the first and second swing arm post assemblies each comprises a swing arm post and pivotally mounted to the swing arm post at first ends thereof and being engageable at a second end thereof;

placing a first object on the cart support frame;

rotating the first swing arms from a loading position to a storage position where the first swing arms extend over the first object;

placing a second object on the first swing arms so that the second object is located in a spaced apart relationship from the first object;

wherein each of the first swing arms comprises a first pivot tube, a first horizontal support bar and a first keeper, wherein the first pivot tube and the first keeper are attached to opposite ends of the first horizontal support bar, and wherein the first pivot tube extends over the swing arm post and further comprising retaining the first swing arms in storage position by engaging lower ends of the first swing arms with holding sockets attached to the cart support frame.

15-19. (Canceled)